



G.P. 3737

ATL-139

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Michalakakis Averkiou et al.

Art Unit: 3305 3737

Serial No.: 08/723,483

Examiner: F. Jaworski

Filed : September 27, 1996

RECEIVED

For : ULTRASONIC DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING  
WITH CONTRAST AGENTS

APR 23 1998

GROUP 3300

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the  
United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:  
Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

on April 13, 1998  
(Date of Deposit)

W. Brinton Yorks, Jr.  
Name of applicant, assignee, or  
Registered Representative

W. Brinton Yorks, Jr.  
(Signature)

4/13/98  
(Date of Signature)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 15,  
1998, please amend the above-captioned patent application as  
indicated below.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 11, lines 18-19, delete the bracketed language  
and brackets and insert --5,685,310 and 5,560,364-- in place  
thereof.

On page 15, line 27, delete the bracketed language and  
brackets and insert --5,718,229-- in place thereof.

On page 14, line 23 and page 15, line 27, in each  
instance delete the bracketed language and brackets and insert  
--5,720,291-- in place thereof.